

EDUCATION BOARD CHANGES DISTRICT

Rearrangement of Peninsula Counties Leaves Williamsburg by Itself.

AUDITING COMMITTEE MEETS

Annual Report to Governor Being Prepared—Chickahominy Drainage Work.

An effort was made by the State Board of Education, which held a meeting yesterday at the Capitol, to settle the conditions which have resulted in so many changes in the office of school superintendent for James City County and the city of Williamsburg. It was determined that James City shall be put in the same district with Charles City and New Kent Counties, with W. B. Coggins as the superintendent.

This leaves Williamsburg in a class by itself, with a division superintendent at its own. Naturally, it could hardly afford to pay for the services of such an official for all of its time, and it is probable the matter will be worked out by an arrangement with Williams and Mary Colleges, which have instructors in normal work. No decision was, however, reached by the board.

Thirty pensions were granted to teachers. The apportionment of school funds made in the department, was approved. This is based on school population, and covers the State appropriation and the literary fund.

The board adjourned early in the afternoon, its session being short. All members were present, as follows: Governor Mann, Superintendent J. D. Eggleston, Attorney-General Williams, President J. L. Varner, of the State Female Normal School at Farmville; Dr. J. M. Page, of the University of Virginia; Colonel Henry C. Ford, of the Virginia Military Institute; M. M. Lynch, of Winchester, and S. R. McClellan, of Bristol, with Secretary R. C. Starnes.

AUDITING BODY MEETS

Joint Committee Examines Report and Adjourns to Tomorrow.

FRIENDS NOT ENCOURAGING

After 20 Years Illness, Friends of Mrs. Bowen Thought She Could Not Recover

Arribs, Va.—"For 20 years I suffered with womanly trouble," says Mrs. D. J. Bowen, of this place, "and although I tried different treatments I did not get any relief.

I was unable to look after any of my work, and my friends thought I could not get well.

Finally, I began to take Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I hadn't taken one-third of the first bottle before I could notice its good effects.

Now I can do all my work, feel like I'm not more than 16 years old, but am really 49. My friends say I look so well they hardly know me when they meet me in the road.

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Very truly yours,
MRS. W. A. GRIFFIN,
303 No. Spring St.,
Tyler, Tex.
Sworn to and subscribed before me,
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J. W. BEARD,
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(Advertisement.)
The books of State Accountant Carlton McCarthy were examined, and the committee began preparation of its annual report to the Governor.

Only three of the five members were present, as follows: Senator E. C. Folkes, of Richmond; Senator John A. Leaser, of Norfolk, and Chairman C. M. Lunaford, of Botetourt. Berkeley D. Adams, of Charlotte, went to Norfolk yesterday to attend a meeting of the State Board of Education, and James R. Jordan, of Isle of Wight, could not come until to-day. The committee adjourned to this morning, when its business will be resumed.

WORK FOR DRAINAGE

Signatures Secured for Reclamation of Chickahominy Land.
Many signatures are being secured to the petition to establish a drainage district on the Chickahominy River, and the promoters of the plan hope to soon have the number required by law—a majority of the resident landholders or the owners of three-fifths of the property affected.

President D. W. Starbuck and Secretary Snyder, of the Chickahominy Drainage Association, were in the city yesterday, well satisfied with the progress made to this time.

Judges R. R. Prentiss, W. F. Rhea and J. Richard Wingfield, of the State Corporation Commission, are in Washington this week attending a meeting of the National Association of Railway Commissioners, which meets in conjunction with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

State Highway Commissioner P. St. Julien Wilson is in Atlanta attending the meeting of the Southern Appalachian Association, in connection with the Memphis-Bristol and Bristol-Washington highway plans.

KINDERGARTNERS TO HAVE MEETING

Program Announced for Session of Section of Education Association.

A feature of the Virginia Education Association, which meets in Richmond next week, will be the session of the Virginia Kindergarten Union, which will take place Wednesday, November 27, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. The official program has been issued, and is as follows:

Address of welcome from Richmond kindergartners, by Miss Edith P. McCarthy.

"Small We Use the Montessori Method in the Kindergarten." Miss Grace E. Mix, of Farmville. Discussion led by Miss Lucy W. Duke, of Richmond.

"Kindergarten as a Developer of Initiative, for the Child and for the Kindergarten." Miss Elizabeth Pickett, of Norfolk. Discussion led by Miss Evana Harrington, of Harrisonburg.

"What Is Kindergarten Freedom?" Miss Laura E. Whitney, of Danville. Discussion led by Miss Florence Steward, of Richmond.

"Kindergarten in the Community." Miss Nancy E. Carrington, of Lynchburg. Discussion led by Miss George West, of Richmond.

"Art in the Kindergarten." Miss Mary Garland, of Todd.

Reports of delegates, limited to five minutes each.
Adjournment to Virginia Mechanics' Institute at 6 o'clock, to take part in an hour of kindergarten games.
At 6 o'clock in the same building, there will be an informal reception to the visiting kindergartners and first grade teachers, given by the Richmond Training School for Kindergartners and its Alumni Association.

NEW HIGH RECORD OF SEASON.

Business is Sensationally Active in Cotton Market.

New York, November 12.—The rapid advance in the cotton market resulted in December delivery making a new high record for the season on reports of big demand for local stock. The advance was made at 12.14, or \$2.95 a bale above yesterday's closing, while January and later months sold twenty-five to thirty points higher. Business was sensationally active, and there was talk of large mill requirements and reports that offerings of actual cotton in the South had not followed the recent decline of futures.

FIRST PRIZE AT APPLE SHOW IS WON BY FREDERICK GROWER

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Winchester, Va., November 19.—Thomas W. Steck, of Frederick County, who exhibited one box of Stayman Winesap apples in competition with growers from every apple-growing State in America at the National Land Show, in New York, today was awarded first prize for quality, the prize being a silver cup worth \$1,500, donated by a fertilizer and seed company of Connecticut, U. C.

\$75,000 TO BUILD Y. M. C. A. HOME

Ten Days' Campaign Will Be Inaugurated in Petersburg on Thursday.

Times-Dispatch Bureau.
5 Bollingbroke Street,
Petersburg, Va., November 19.

The campaign to raise a fund of \$75,000 to erect a home for the Young Men's Christian Association will be inaugurated on Thursday morning, and is expected to end in ten days with the full amount subscribed and pledged. The forces for the conduct of the campaign have been organized, and all details will be completed by tomorrow night. The best known business men in the city are leading in the movement. Dr. J. G. Rennie is general chairman. The citizens' committee is headed by Mayor George Cameron, Jr., Cleveland Wright, E. S. Bowling, W. L. Nuffer, Dr. W. P. Drewry, Isaac H. Dyon, Judge J. M. Muller, R. H. Mann, P. H. Drewry and H. S. Seward. R. H. Mann heads the business committee of 100, divided into teams of ten each, each subdivision headed by a captain.

The younger business men's committee is headed by P. H. Drewry and is divided into ten teams, each presided over by a captain. Secretary A. M. Walsh, of the Petersburg association, and S. A. Ackley, State secretary, will be in general charge of the work.

The association owns a large and beautifully located lot on Union Street, opposite the post-office, the site of the old high school building. Here it is proposed to erect a home, worth at the name and of the city. The \$75,000 will be devoted to the building alone, the association already having a fund for its equipment. Over 600 persons have pledged themselves as members, the revenue from which source will be sufficient to more than meet all current expenses.

Death of Geo. W. James.
Geo. W. James, aged fifty-two years, and for the last twenty years engaged in the plumbing business in this city, died at his residence on South Street at 1:30 this morning. Deceased had been in ill health for several weeks. He is survived by his wife, three children and two sisters, all of this city. Philadelphia, Pa.

A number of Philadelphia business men arrived in the city this morning on the special train, and were met at the depot by Mayor Cameron and members of the Council, and taken in automobiles for a tour of the city. The visitors expressed themselves as very much pleased with their reception. They only spent about an hour in Petersburg. Briefs and Personal.

The meeting of the State Council of the Ladies of Maccabees, which was to have a rally in Petersburg on December 2, has been called off, owing to the fact that the 146 delegates elected to attend were unable to secure accommodations in the city for the delegates.

In the Hastings Court in the suit of Allen Hines vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company for \$1,000 damages, a verdict was rendered in favor of the defendant company.

E. P. Goodwin to-day announced himself a candidate for commissioner of revenue against the incumbent, H. R. Smith, who is a candidate for reelection.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

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YOUNG BUSINESS MEN END THEIR OWN LIVES

Maury Jordan, of Lynchburg, Commits Suicide in Dramatic Manner
Advertising Manager of Staunton Paper Shoots Himself Through Head.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Lynchburg, Va., November 19.—Maury R. Jordan, aged about thirty years, secretary of the Menefee-Jordan Lumber Company, committed suicide last afternoon in a dramatic manner. He went to a Southern Railway bridge on the new highest point above land, and a revolver bullet through his heart. The shot produced instant death, and the dead man fell over the side of the bridge and every bone in his body was crushed as he struck the earth 100 feet below.

A colored woman who saw the incident was too far away to hear the shot, and she thought Jordan jumped from the bridge, the fact that he had shot himself not being discovered until his body was examined some time afterwards.

It is believed the suicide was due to Jordan's ill health. He had long been engaged in the lumber business here and was well known in that industry throughout the South. He was identified with one of the leading families of Lynchburg, and was well to do financially and stood high here. He leaves a wife.

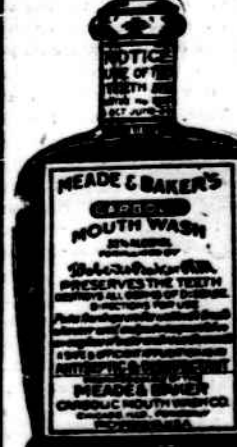
Selling League Organized.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., November 19.—The Albemarle Branch of the Equal Suffrage League of Virginia has been organized at the University of Virginia, with a membership of nearly 100. Miss Hubbard was nominated for president by Mrs. Albert H. Tuttle, of that office. The following honorary vice-presidents were chosen: Prof. George Thomas Pitts-Hugh, Professor Charles Albion Smith and Professor Albert H. Tuttle. Mrs. Charles Brown was elected secretary.

New Banking Concern Organized.
Sallybury, N. C., November 19.—The Sallybury Bank and Trust Company is the name of a new banking concern for which a new charter has been asked in this city. It is to begin business by December 15, with a capital of \$100,000. The bank is backed by a number of leading business men.

SIX MONTHS ON ROAD.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., November 19.—Charles Wilmoth, a white man, who had been

frequently before the Mayor charged with insobriety, was locked in jail here this morning and will serve six months on the county roads for being a habitual drunkard.

Wilmoth was sentenced on Friday last in the Mayor's court, but the Mayor gave the man three days, during which time to leave town. This he failed to do and was found on Craighead Street this morning half intoxicated. The county authorities have been requested to take him to the roads. This is the heaviest punishment ever inflicted in Danville for such offense.



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